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## UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b)

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Dear Sir:

This is a request for filing a Utility Patent Application under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b).

App	lication Elements:
$\boxtimes$	Application transmittal containing Fee Calculation and Certificate of Mailing by "Express Mail".
	A check in the amount of \$583.00 to cover the application filing fee.
$\boxtimes$	Applicant claims small entity status.
$\boxtimes$	Application Cover Sheet, Specification, Claims (1-42) and Abstract of the Disclosure (22 total pages).
$\boxtimes$	Original drawings (Figures 1A-4, 5 total sheet/s]).
$\boxtimes$	Declaration and Power of Attorney (1 document) (2 total pages).
	Newly-executed original.
	Copy[ies] from a prior application pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.63(d).
Acc	ompanying Application Parts:
	Patent Assignment Recordation Form Cover Sheet and Assignment ([ ] total pages).
	A check in the amount of \$[40.00] to cover the Assignment recordation filing fee.
	The prior application is Assigned of record to [*] and was recorded on [date] at Reel [*]/Fram [*] ([#] pages).
	Documents reflecting change in Power of Attorney/Correspondence Address.
	[Revocation of] Power of Attorney [and Appointment of New Power of Attorney] [by Assignee]. [Change of Correspondence Address – Application (PTO/SB/122).]
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	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) and PTO/SB/08A (PTO-1449).
	Copies of IDS Citations.
	A Petition for Extension of Time is being filed concurrently in the prior application ([ ] total pages).
	Preliminary Amendment ([ ] total pages).
	Petition to Make Special Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.102(c) ([ ] total pages).
$\boxtimes$	Itemized Return Receipt Post Card.
	Certified copy of priority document(s) (if foreign priority is claimed).
	Nonpublication Request Under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i).
	Other:

## Fee Calculation:

	Filed				Extra		Rate		Calculations
Basic Fee									\$770
Total Claims	42	-	20	=	22	x	\$18	=	396
Independent Claims	3	-	3	=	0	x	\$86	=	0
Multiple Dependent Claims (one time fee)					0	x	\$290	=	0
							Total Fee:		\$1,166
									\$583

## **DIRECT ALL CORRESPONDENCE TO: CUSTOMER NUMBER 27910**

Pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.10 and 1.53(a), Applicant(s) respectfully request(s) that this application be assigned a serial number and a filing date of November 3, 2003, the date upon which the Application was mailed to the United States Patent and Trademark Office by Express Mail.

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Acknowledgment of receipt is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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